

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

Jon Elliot Adler

Group Art Unit: 1646

Application Serial No. 09/825,882

Examiner: M. Brannock

Filed: April 5, 2001

Title: T2R TASTE RECEPTORS AND GENES ENCODING SAME

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SUPPLEMENTAL ELECTION RESPONSE

Hon. Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the letter mailed on October 21, 2002, Applicants advise that at least claims 1-22, 26-53, 78-80, 82-84, and claims 125-133 are believed to read on and encompass the elected T2R61 DNA sequence. Examination of at least these claims on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY/AMENDMENT/LETTER

Date: November 21, 2002

This is a reply/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

1. Small Entity claim A. □ NOT made B. □ Withdrawn C. □ made herewith D. ☑ made previously For B & C See Required Separate Paper (Pat-256)	Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for		Present Extra	Large/Small Entity	Additional Fee	Fee Code Lg/Sm
2. Total Effective Claims		**minus	0	0	x \$18/\$9 =	+ \$0	103/203
3. Independent Claims		***minus	0	0	x \$84/\$42 =	+ \$0	102/202
4. If amendment enters <u>proper</u> multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for <u>first</u> time (leave <u>blank</u> if this is a <u>reissue</u> application) add + \$280/\$140 =						+ \$0	104/204
5. Original due Date: November 21, 2002 NONE 6. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached (1 mo) \$110/\$55 = (2 mos) \$400/\$200 = + \$0 (3 mos) \$920/\$460 = (4 mos) \$1,440/\$720 = (5 mos) \$1,960/\$980 =							115/215 116/216 117/217 118/218 128/228
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9. If <u>Terminal Disclaimer</u> attached, <u>add</u> Rule 20(d) official fee						+ \$0	148/248
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11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r) + \$740/370						+ \$0	146/246
12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b)						+ \$0	149/249
13. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) + \$740/370						+ \$0	1179/1279
14. Petition fee for						+ \$0	
15. TOTAL FEE =						\$0	
 16. *If the entry in this space is less than entry in next space, the "Present Extra" result is "0". 17. **If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 20, write "20" in this space. 18. ***If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 3, write "3" in this space. 						PLEASE CHARGE OUR DEP. ACCT	

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This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

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Query: Is appeal deadline now? If so, file Notice of Appeals separately

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